

ON THE BEACH AT SOUTHAMPTON

These Are Happy Days for the Little Ones
for Whom the Seashore and Forests
Are Wonderful Playgrounds.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 29.—With the national tennis tournament practically over, this city is now preparing for the next and final feature of the Newport season, the horse show, which will open on Labor Day. According to the executive committee of the show, there is every prospect of an exhibition up to the usual Newport standard. There is a good list of entries, and all of the usual classes are included on the program for the event.

The work of preparing the show ring will be begun as soon as the tennis tournament at the Casino is concluded, and with the additional room in the Casino grounds this year, there will be better facilities for handling the entries.

The announcement during the present week that a daughter had been born to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Robeson (Miss Laura Swan) at Pau, France, was a pleasing bit of news to Mr. and Mrs. Elsie Dyer and to the other members of the summer colony. Both Mr. and Mrs. Robeson are very well known here.

Two more have announced their intentions of remaining here later in the year. Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont does not intend to open her Hempstead home this fall, and she will remain here until it is time for her to open her New York house.

Another of the Newport colony has at Bar Harbor, returning here later for a portion of the late season.



CYNTHIA ANN PRATT and ELIZABETH BISHOP TERRY.

arrived this week from the war zone. Mrs. Joseph E. Widener, who, with Mr. Widener, returned from France early in the week, and she came here at once on P. A. B. Widener's steam yacht Josephine. Mrs. Widener arrived in time for the greater part of the tennis tournament and to attend the Red Cross work. She is the summer home, the Breakers. Her first appearance at the Casino, on Wednesday, was the signal for an impromptu reception in her honor by many friends, who were anxious to welcome her back from abroad.

Mrs. Burke Roche and her son Maurice are expected from Europe in a few days, and Joseph Sampson Stevens, who has also recently returned from abroad, has arrived with Mrs. Sampson, and they are at the Redwood cottage, to remain until the middle of September. Mr. and Mrs. H. Cassatt of Ithaca are to remain here until October 1.

Since the outbreak of the war in Europe matters pertaining to it have been the principal topic of conversation among many of the summer residents, some of whom, in view of their family and other connections abroad, have been keeping in close touch with happenings in the war zone.

The annual horse show was held today at the Suffolk Hunt Club grounds, on Mecox Bay, the proceeds of the show to go for the benefit of the Red Cross work. Richard Newton, Jr., master of the hounds, representing the Red Cross committee.

The show was for local horses, and there was a good list of entries in the following classes: Children's ponies, saddle horses, farm horses, ladies' hunters, open jumping class, single harness horses and sporting tandems. Silver cups and ribbons were given in the different classes. Parking spaces, at \$10 each, were quickly disposed of, and a goodly sum will be realized.

The judges are W. Scott Cameron, E. J. S. McVicker and J. Lawrence Smith, and Philip P. Thompson, J. Searle Barclay, Frederick M. Davies and Henry F. Godfrey acted as the ring committee.

During the next few weeks parties and dances will be very popular at the Hunt Club. On Friday evening Miss Emma Peabody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Peabody, gave a fancy dress party and dance at the club-house pavilion for about forty of the junior set. Miss Esther Fiers gave a dinner party preceding the fancy dress party, taking her guests to the dance afterward. Miss Juliana Cutting will have three more subscription dances at the Suffolk Hunt Club on Friday evenings, September 4, 11 and 18. Half the proceeds will be given to Red Cross work.



SUSAN, ELLIS, FANNIE and BARBARA HUMPHREYS.

evening, and was attended by more than 300 guests. It was one of the most carefully planned events of the summer, and while there was a spirit of gaiety, the entire aspect was suggestive of the cause. Francis V. L. Hopkin, the New York architect, had charge of the decorations, the chief note being red and white, bunting draped with the symbolic cross. Brought into service also were quantities of flags taken from the ocean liner Kronprinzessin Cecilie and the revenue cutter Harrington. Marines from these vessels were also stationed at the various entrances, further accentuating the idea. The supper, which was served in a marquee erected on the lawn, in the evening lunch were Mrs. Edgar Scott, Mrs. A. D. Sanderson, Mrs. Harold Peabody and Mrs. Ernesto Fabbri. The supper was under the supervision of Edgar Scott, Armar Sanderson and Mrs. Harry Thorndyke. Other events of the week included a dinner dance given by Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at Eerie, Seal Harbor; a luncheon party at the Swimming Club, at which Miss Helen Draper was hostess. Marcus A. Hann and Mrs. Nicholas Anderson were among those giving dinners.

The various tennis matches excited much interest and always drew large galleries. Mrs. John Jacob Astor and Edgar Scott defeated Mr. and Mrs. Gouverneur Morris in the mixed doubles, and Mr. Scott and Mr. Morris were victors in the men's doubles. It was the first time in years that Mrs. Green had opened her own home, and Mr. Green having been abroad.

Mr. and Mrs. John Archibald, of Providence, arrived on their yacht and spent a week with their daughter, Mrs. A. D. Sanderson, and Mr. Sanderson at their beautiful Italian villa.

Miss Josephine T. Smith, of Baltimore, concluded a visit to Mrs. Burton Harrison at Sea Urchin this week.

Sports in the open, including yachting through the waters of Narragansett Bay, motor, and golf and tennis, on the fields of the Point Judith Country Club, which is a popular rendezvous for cottagers, have proved popular diversions during the last week. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald T. Hanley, of Providence, who are members of the villa colony here, recently made an air flight from Providence to Narragansett in a hydro-aeroplane, and after circling around the Casino yacht landing, veered in their course and landed away across the bay past Beaver Tail Light to Newport.

Mr. Hanley makes the flight from the Redwood Yacht Club landing to the pier with all the manœuvre of the average motorist, and at a much higher rate of speed, and with no accidents in his path, as he darts rapidly through the air. His hydro-aeroplane suggests a huge bird flying over Narragansett Bay when sighted in the distance, and the buzzing sound of the motors is usually the signal announcing the arrival of the aerial visitors.

The annual vaudeville entertainment for the benefit of St. Philomena's Church was presented on Tuesday evening in the ballroom of the Casino, and included an Indian temple dance by Miss Mildred Fitzgerald and Talbot Smith-Hanan, of New York, and songs by Miss Helen B. Pettis and Irving Fisher.

Among those who subscribed for boxes were Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hannan, Mrs. John R. Fell, Mr. and Mrs. Philip E. Stevenson, Dr. James Sullivan, Robert Sullivan, Dr. John W. Keefe, Mrs. C. T. Bruns, M. C. Bouvier and the Misses Bouvier.

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The patronesses are Mrs. E. J. Burlingham, Mrs. Webster C. Estes, Mrs. Willard Reid, Mrs. George Cox, Mrs. Grosse, Mrs. Stuart Eames, Miss L. Reid, Mrs. E. Ormond Power, Mrs. W. Tyson Hayward, Mrs. W. Tyson Hayward, Jr., Mrs. William Arnold, Mrs. C. W. Weeks, Mrs. Robert Marve, Mrs. Frank Cronise, Mrs. James S. Ames, Mrs. Louis Morgan Porter, Mrs. J. de T. Scitibron, Mrs. T. V. Jabine, Mrs. Charles Granger, Mrs. C. Carel, Mrs. R. C. Morton, Mrs. R. Zimmerman, Mrs. Beekman Teseley, Mrs. George Nicholas, Mrs. A. Smedberg, Jr., Mrs. Minor Keith, Mrs. J. Q. Adams, Mrs. S. de Forest and Mrs. Edward Trenchard.

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The annual invitation golf tournament at the Bethelham Country Club and at the Waumbek Golf Club this week will bring many metropolitan golfers to the White Mountains.

Motoring has never been better, and the opening of the Jefferson Road from Crawford and Bretton Woods to Jefferson Highlands, is expected to occur this season on September 1. The state, Richard Carter, of Boston, have shared the expense of repairing this road, which has been closed for years.

The annual Hay Fever Convention at Bethelham on September 2 will have the largest attendance in years, and there will be pictures taken by moving picture companies of incidents and people. The annual field day of the Mount Washington and Mount Pleasant is an open, invitation event which will bring people from all mountain resorts to compete for the handsome prizes offered by the Bretton Woods Company.

Next week will see a complete change in the personnel of the guests as about three thousand members of the National Society of Friends, with headquarters at Philadelphia, will assemble here on September 2 and remain for one week. Saranac is selected as the meeting place, not only on account of its advantages as a convention center, but because it would give the members an opportunity to enjoy the springs and mineral baths during their stay. The headquarters will be in Skidmore Hall and the meetings will be held in Convention Hall and the Casino.

Society leaders, who have been kept on the go for the last few days in order to keep pace with the various events scheduled for the entertainment of the younger set, turned out en masse at the Casino to witness the finale of the competition dancers for the various prizes offered by the committee. The building was artistically decorated for the event and much interest was manifested in the contest. Eight couples were entered, and the judges were given quite a task in deciding. The first awarded, however, went to R. B. Squires and Miss Beulah Squires, of New York, and the second to Jerome Hess and Miss Ida Ma, ne, also of New York. Mr. and Mrs. C. Vanderbilt, of New York, were given honorable mention.

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The Venetian evening and regatta of the Motor Boat Club proved successful even beyond the hopes of the most sanguine, and so much so that the organi-

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